


MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 10(A)(5)

TO: Honorable Chairperson Barbara Carey-Shuler, Ed.D. and Members, Board of County Commissioners **DATE:** September 21, 2004

FROM: Robert A. Ginsburg
County Attorney **SUBJECT:** Resolution joining the State of Florida in codesignating a portion of NW 27th Avenue as "Dr. T. Stewart Greer Avenue"

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle.



Robert A. Ginsburg
County Attorney

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(Revised)

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Please note any items checked.

- ☐ "4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
- ☐ 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- ☐ 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- ☐ Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- ☐ Budget required
- ☐ Statement of fiscal impact required
- ☐ Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
- ☐ Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- ☐ Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
- ☐ No committee review

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

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9-21-04

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**RESOLUTION JOINING THE STATE OF
FLORIDA TO CODESIGNATE A PORTION OF
NW 27TH AVENUE, FROM NW 131ST STREET TO
NW 135TH STREET AS "DR. T. STEWART
GREER AVENUE"**

WHEREAS, this Board has conducted a public hearing to consider codesignating a portion of NW 27th Avenue from NW 131st Street to NW 135th Street as "Dr. T. Stewart Greer Avenue"; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Greer was born on December 21, 1936 in Miami and raised in Overtown, graduated from Booker T. Washington High School, received his undergraduate degree from Morehouse College, a master's degree from Atlanta University and a doctorate degree from The Union Institute; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Greer began his career with Dade County Schools in 1959, and advanced to become Deputy Assistant Superintendent for Dade County Public Schools, the fourth largest system in the United States. He devoted more than 38 year to improving the school system; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Greer, during his tenure, quietly and steadily worked to become the highest ranking African-American in the school system. His responsibilities expanded rapidly, and included teacher, Department Chair, Coordinator of Special Programs, Director of Special Programs, Assistant Superintendent, Deputy Superintendent and Interim Superintendent of Schools, the highest seat attainable; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Greer spent his career emphasizing the importance of raising academic achievement and standards in the school district. During his many years of service, he tried to do what best served children in their developmental and educational process; and

WHEREAS, Dr. T. Stewart Greer passed away on March 13, 1997 and is survived by his wife Billie, four children and three grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, NW 27th Avenue is a Florida Department of Transportation road; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida has designated a portion of NW 27th Avenue from NW 131st Street to NW 135th Street as "Dr. T. Stewart Greer Avenue"; and

WHEREAS, this Board joins the State of Florida to honor the memory of Dr. T. Stewart Greer with this codesignation; and

WHEREAS, this proposed codesignation is located in County Commission District 2,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

Section 1. This Board joins the State of Florida to co-designate a portion of NW 27th Avenue from NW 131st Street to NW 135th Street as "Dr. T. Stewart Greer Avenue".

Section 2. The Clerk of the Board is directed to send certified copies of this Resolution to the members of the Miami-Dade County Delegation of the Florida Legislature.

Section 3. The Clerk of the Board is hereby directed to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the United States Postal Authority, the Traffic Signals and Signs Division, Land Development Division of the Public Works Department, the Police Department, and the Fire Department.

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The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle and offered by Commissioner _____, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

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| Dr. Barbara Carey-Shuler, Chairperson | |
| Katy Sorenson, Vice-Chairperson | |
| Bruno A. Barreiro | Jose "Pepe" Diaz |
| Betty T. Ferguson | Sally A. Heyman |
| Joe A. Martinez | Jimmy L. Morales |
| Dennis C. Moss | Dorrin D. Rolle |
| Natacha Seijas | Rebeca Sosa |
| Sen. Javier D. Souto | |

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 21st day of September, 2004. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

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Robert A. Ginsburg

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